

NORTH EX PUBLIC SCHOOL (RECOGNISED) Sec-3, Rohini

Periodic Test - 2
Session - 2020-21

Class - VIII
Subject - English

Time - 30 Minutes Maximum Marks - 20

* Required

1. Name *

2. Roll Number

3. Section *

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A

B

4. Section A (Literature) [9 Marks] (Questions 1-5 carry 1 Mark each)

1. What was the reason that the stranger gave for going out of the hotel in 'The Dusk' ?

Mark only one oval.

a. To meet a friend

b. To look for another hotel

c. To buy a soap

5. 2. How was Tintin honoured on its 75th Anniversary?

Mark only one oval.

- a. A coin was minted depicting Tintin and Snowy
- b. Tintin t-shirts were sold
- c. Herge was awarded

6. 3. why was Ernest reluctant to show his report card?

Mark only one oval.

- a. his marks were very good
- b. his marks weren't good enough
- c. he doesn't care about showing it to his father

7. 4. What was the name of the Professor in Tintin comics?

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- a. Haddock
- b. Calculus
- c. Herge

8. 5. Tintin was a famous icon of:

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- a. Greece
- b. Belgium
- c. Barcelona

9. Answer the following two questions in one or two lines. [Questions 6 and 7 carry two Marks each]

6. In the story, 'The Pipe Lighter', Do you think what uncle did with the report card was right?

10. 7. why was Tintin so popular?

11. Section B (Grammar and Writing) [11 Marks] (Questions 8-13 carry one mark each)

8. Choose appropriate Preposition: " Please don't spill the milk _____ the floor. "

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- a. under
- b. after
- c. on

12. 9. Choose appropriate Preposition:

" The bus arrives _____ an hour. "

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- a. on
- b. in
- c. at

13. 10. Identify the function of Infinitive in the following sentence:

" To walk daily is a good habit. "

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- a. adverb
- b. adjective
- c. noun

14. 11. Identify the function of Infinitive in the following sentence:

" Vani asked Riya to sing. "

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- a. direct object of the verb
- b. Subject of the statement
- c. adverb qualifying an adjective

15. 12. State the function of Gerund Phrase :

" Beena is not good at Designing kites. "

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- a. object of verb
- b. object of preposition
- c. subject of statement

16. 13. Identify the function of the ing-word : state whether it is Gerund, a Participle or a common noun.

" Gardening can be a good exercise. "

17. 14. Join the pair of sentences using a participle : [2 Marks]

" The dog pushed the door open. It rushed out. "

18. 15. Write a paragraph on " Influence of Social Media on the life of students "

(Word limit - 50 - 75 Words) [3 Marks]

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